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Brisbane - Lawton

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The Rev
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Dear Robert Peebles

(Glori)anna Lawton about 1806 – 17 February 1888

I permit myself to write on the recommendation of John Culbertson whom I believe you know in connection with genealogical researches. He recommended you as the authority on 'Our Family Circle' by Annie Elizabeth Miller, Macon, GA, 1931. Despite that build up, my question is relatively simple (and if the answer is 'no' please do not feel you have to take time to send me a note to say so).

However, my source have Anna Lawton as Anna Lawton. Annie Elizabeth Miller evidently has her as Glorianna Lawton. Do you have any knowledge on how that difference might have arisen and / or of its significance. (Glorianna is a delightful name which for me resonates with echoes of the early English madrigals of the reign of Queen Elizabeth Tudor 1533-1558-1603.)

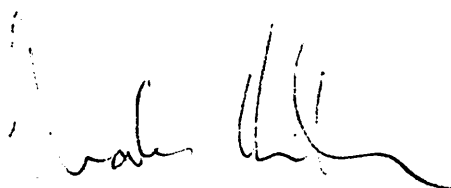
I will enclose herewith a 'family sheet' for the lady in case you wish to be convinced – as I already am – that we are discussing the same person!

My source for the name Anna Lawton is a study my grandfather, Eduardo Haviland Hillman (EHH) produced in 1913 concerning the South Carolina Brisbanes¹. (His mother in law, Harriet Ruth Brisbane 1834 – 1918 was a distinguished scion of the family.) I have the feeling that his research was probably quite thorough, though by the time Annie Elizabeth Miller produced her work, EHH was living in England and probably rather cut off from SC researches.

If you are able to give me any input on the name, Many thanks. Thank you, in any event, for having read and considered my question

Best wishes.

Sincerely



¹ 'The Brisbanes' compiled by E Haviland Hillman and published in the South Carolina Historical and Genealogical Magazine in July and October 1913. The relevant page is numbered 185.

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Husband: William Henry Brisbane

Born: 12 Oktober 1806

Married: 28 Mai 1825

Died: 5 April 1878

Father: Adam Fowler Brisbane, Jr.

Mother: Mary Ann Mosse ("Anna")

Other Spouses:

in: Beaufort District, South Carolina, USA, *St. Peter's Parish.*in: *Lawtonville, St. Peter's Parish.*

in: Arena, Wisconsin, USA

Wife: Anna Lawton (Gloriana)

Born: About 1806

Died: 17 Februar 1888

Father: Benjamin Themistocles Dion Lawton (1782-1846)

Mother: Jane Mosse

Other Spouses:

in: Robertville, Beaufort District, South Carolina, USA

in:

CHILDREN

1 F	Name: Anna Cordelia Brisbane Born: 25 Juli 1827 Married: Died: 26 April 1828 Spouse:	in: <Lawtonville, , Sc> in: in:
2 M	Name: Bently Hasell Brisbane Born: 31 August 1829 Married: Died: 22 März 1846 Spouse:	in: <Lawtonville, , Sc> in: in:
3 M	Name: Benjamin Lawton Brisbane Born: 8 April 1834 Married: 22 Januar 1854 Died: 10 November 1893 Spouses: Sarah Emily Dickinson, Sarah Emily Dickinson	in: Lawtonville, South Carolina, USA in: in: Council Bluffs, Iowa, USA
4 M	Name: William Henry Brisbane Born: 20 Juni 1838 Married: 20 Juni 1865 Died: 12 Mai 1897 Spouse: Elizabeth A Sniffen	in: Lawtonville, SC, USA in: in:
5 F	Name: Phoebe Adeline Brisbane Born: 14 Mai 1841 Married: 10 März 1862 Died: Spouse: Herbert Reed	in: <Lawtonville, , Sc> in: in:
6 F	Name: Mary Julia Brisbane Born: About 1843 Married: Died: 18 März 1845 Spouse:	in: <Lawtonville, , South Carolina, USA> in: in:
7 M	Name: John Edward Brisbane Born: 7 April 1847 Married: Died: 2 Februar 1863 Spouse:	in: <Lawtonville, , Sc> in: in:
8	Name: Born: Married: Died: Spouse:	in: in: in:
9	Name: Born: Married: Died: Spouse:	in: in: in: